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House Resolution 265

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## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Honoring the life and memory of Michael D. Davis; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, the State of Georgia mourns the loss of one of its most distinguished citizens
- 3 with the passing of Michael D. Davis, on January 26, 2019; and
- 4 WHEREAS, Mike Davis was born on July 18, 1953, in Macon, Georgia, a beloved son of
- 5 the late James A. and Christine Walker Davis; and
- 6 WHEREAS, he joined the Warner Robins Fire Department in 1973, and he faithfully and
- 7 bravely served his community as a firefighter; Mike retired as the Assistant Fire Chief and
- 8 went on to serve on the Warner Robins City Council from 2011 to 2019; and
- 9 WHEREAS, he was united in love and marriage to his wife, Diane, and was blessed with a
- 10 remarkable son, Blake, and a wonderful granddaughter, Stella; and
- 11 WHEREAS, Mike was a key member of the Northside High School Football program as a
- 12 radio broadcaster for 25 seasons, and he was one of the cofounders of Sports Mic; he was a
- 13 loyal Georgia Bulldogs fan and faithful member of Southside Baptist Church; and
- 14 WHEREAS, he gave inspiration to many through his high ideals, morals, and deep concern
- 15 for his fellow citizens, and the devotion, patience, and understanding he demonstrated to his
- 16 family and friends were admired by others; and
- 17 WHEREAS, he was a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation
- 18 for integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness, and by the example he made of his life, he
- 19 made this world a better place in which to live; and

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20 WHEREAS, a compassionate and generous man, Mike will long be remembered for his love

- 21 of football, friendship, and community and will be missed by all who had the great fortune
- of knowing him.
- 23 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
- 24 the members of this body join in honoring the life and memory of Michael D. Davis and
- 25 express their deepest and most sincere regret at his passing.
- 26 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
- 27 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the
- 28 family of Michael D. Davis.